

## NEW GOODS

### GEORGE M. SNOOK & CO.

Many New Goods for the approaching season are now being opened. We have purchased at bottom prices large quantities of Silks, Velvets, Plushes, Cashmeres, Velvetines, Cloth Suits, Ladies' and Misses' Wraps, Blankets, Flannels, Underwear, Hosiery, etc., etc., all of which we propose to sell at lower prices than ever before known.

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### 1110 Main & 1111 Market Sts.

## CASHMERE

Our New Fall Stock of Black and Colored Cashmeres are now in stock.

## A. SIEDENBACH & BRO.

## Jersey Waists.

Will open to-day ten dozen Ladies' and Children's Jersey Waists. Children's Jerseys in all sizes from two years up.

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### 1104 Main Street.

## NEW WRAPS!

250 Styles of Ladies' and Children's Wraps, comprising the largest stock and best styles at lowest prices.

200 Pieces Cashmere, every imaginable Color.

New stock of Ladies' and Children's Jerseys, line quality.

We open New Goods Daily.

## H. EMSHEIMER.

## DENTISTRY.

DR. MORRISON, 1205 Market Street.

DR. SURGISON & SON, 1142 Market Street.

DR. CHARLES E. MASON, 1142 Market Street.

DR. HIGGINS' GALLERY, 1142 Market Street.

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## LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

**REPUBLICAN DISTRICT PRIMARIES TO-DAY.**  
WATER NELSONS are still abundant and cheap.

There is a particular lull in the picnic business.

No new boat race has been made for three days.

The Hempfield road will run an excursion train to Pittsburgh to-morrow.

The feeders and mallets at the Top mill knocked off work at noon yesterday; too hot.

The glass factors all report business good. The demand for glass is active, especially for new styles.

The sixteenth street fire brick pavement is rapidly approaching completion. Less than a square remains to be laid.

Employees of the Panhandle railroad company are forbidden to board at houses where they are engaged in liquor.

Mrs. MONTAGUE, wife of the proprietor of the Wheeling House at West Alexander, died Thursday evening of consumption.

Capt. THOMAS PRINCE will this afternoon raise his tall Blaine and Logan pole at his place on the north end of the island.

The retaining wall ordered at the last meeting of the Board of Education to be built west of the colored school house has been begun.

The flag on the Custom House was at half mast yesterday, and will remain so until after the funeral of Judge Folger, the late Secretary of the Treasury.

A new gas well project is being talked of at Martin's Ferry. Some people think it would be found nearer the hill than where the other wells were drilled.

The Junior Blaine and Logan club of the Seventh ward (Island) will have a meeting at the wigwam in the old fair grounds this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Reserved seats are on sale at Shell's music store for Lizzie Bond's engagement at the Academy of Music next week in "Foggy Ferry" and "Dewdrop."

The Ohio State Journal, of Columbus, says William Schmelle, of this city, and his bride, Mrs. Frances Schmelle, after their release from jail in that city, went on to Illinois.

Reserved seats will be placed on sale at the "White Slave" engagement at the Opera House Tuesday and Wednesday evenings next.

Mr. WILLIAM SCHWETZKE is being kept busy supplying campaign clubs with uniforms. The Republican clubs of the Fourth, Fifth and Seventh wards are his latest contracts.

The office of the State Fair Association has been established on the ground. Several consignments of horses, stock and other exhibits were received yesterday, and entries are still coming in.

CHAPMAN is plentiful and has taken a decided tumble in price. There is a large yield this year of fine fruit. Nuts are still plenty, and the apple market is unusually well stocked.

The beautiful moonlight nights of the past week have made it delightful to be in the park. The air has been cool, and the moon has shone a bright light over everything. The nights have been samples of those that prevail every fall in the Ohio Valley.

CLERK HOOK yesterday attempted to record a deed made August 9 by Henry Horkheimer and wife, Morris and Deborah Horkheimer, and wife, Morris and Deborah, in consideration of \$4,000, for the north half of lot 79, on the east side of Main street, south of Twenty-first.

OFFICER FEMERLO found a stray child on Market street near the creek yesterday and left it in the hands of the police. It remained till the middle of the afternoon when its mother came after it. She lived over the creek, but did not give her name. In the afternoon the same officer found another lost kid in East Wheeling, but its parents were shortly found.

Ten captains and lieutenants of the various Republican marching clubs in the city will meet at Lincoln Club this evening to form the Wheeling Blaine and Logan regiment. The officers of the regiment will be: Major, Adjutant, Sergeant-Major, Surgeon and Quartermaster. A general turnout of all the clubs will be an event in the near future.

The Veteran Blaine and Logan club will hold their regular weekly meeting in Hamilton's hall this evening at 7:30. The committee appointed at the last meeting to select a uniform will report to the committee on by-laws, and there will be other business to transact. All old soldiers who favor the election of Blaine, Logan and Gold are cordially invited to be present and enroll themselves.

**ABOUT PEOPLE.**  
Strangers in the City and Wheeling Tolls Abroad.

Hon. R. S. Blair, of Ritchie county, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Joseph Barker arrived here last evening from the Cumberland reunion.

Judge C. P. T. Moore, of Mason county, was in the city yesterday, with his two daughters, who re-entered Mt. de Clantal.

Mr. Will Sydney, wife, of Fairview, Va., will visit during the week with the family of Mr. S. G. Smith, on Sixteenth street.

Misses John and Alice White, daughters of Mr. H. S. White, of Belmont, were in the city yesterday, visiting friends.

Rev. E. J. Smith, of Charleston, Ohio, a prominent member of the Society of the Army of West Virginia, who has been attending the reunion at Cumberland, was in the city yesterday en route to visit friends at West Alexander.

Mrs. Sadie Lester, wife of Rev. Wm. Hand Lester, of Vinton, Ohio, and daughter of Wm. C. Anderson, of Clayville, Pa., died on July 30. Mrs. Lester was a young lady of rare accomplishments, having graduated at the Steubenville Seminary a very few years ago, and in honor. She was a niece of Messrs. W. B. and Robert Simpson, of this city.

**The First Week of School.**  
In conversation yesterday with Superintendent Birch, of the Public Schools, he informed a reporter that the first week of the new school year, just closed, progressed well for the balance of the year. The attendance is good, much better than usual for the fall term. Especially is it large in the primary departments. The buildings have all been put in first class condition, and the corps of teachers is an experienced and tried one.

The water works are progressing very satisfactorily. The pump well that is to be in the center of the house is complete, and the receiving well at the river's edge and the tunnel and bulkhead are in place. The water pipes from the river well into the river are also in position. Workmen are now engaged in laying the stone foundation for the house. It is to be octagonal in shape and built of brick in an ornamental style. It will be completed by the last of this month. The pump and engine are ready to ship and be placed in position as soon as the house is ready to fit.

**Elegant Reception.**  
The most elegant reception that has taken place in Wheeling for a long time was given last evening by Mrs. J. L. Kist, Esq., on North Main street. The large mansion was handsomely lit up and arranged for the occasion, everything being in the most exquisite style. The guests were the young people who were present and enjoyed the delightful evening. Dancing and promenading about the grounds were indulged in. Refreshments were served at midnight.

**Another Blaine Convert.**  
Mr. William Faustick, a helper in the Belmont mill, heretofore a Democrat, has just announced that he has renounced his affiliations with the free trade party, and has come out as a square Blaine, protection Republican. He does not want any free trade in his.

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## WANTED HIM KILLED

**AND WOULD PAY WELL FOR IT**  
A Woman in Search of an Assassin to Do Away With Her Husband for a Consideration—A South Side Family Row of Immense Proportions—Lively Time.

A warrant has been issued by Squire Zane Phillips for Mrs. Albert Dimerstein, the wife of a printer who formerly lived on Twentieth street and now lives in Paper Mill Alley, in the Fifth ward. Dimerstein and his wife have not lived happily together, at least not lately. Several weeks ago she had him arrested and arraigned before Squire Arkle on a charge of wife beating, and he was fined ten dollars and costs. The warrant issued by Squire Phillips is for threatening to kill him. Dimerstein swears that his wife has repeatedly threatened to kill him, and that he verily believes she intends to carry out her threat. There seems to be reason for his fear. Frank Freels, the well known colored watchmaker, has been summoned as a witness in the case. He says that Mrs. Dimerstein twice approached him with a businesslike proposition that she would pay him well to put her husband out of the road. Once she said "I will pay you twenty-five dollars if you kill him." The second time she said "I will pay you 'put out of the way' was that he abused her, and called her 'musty names.' She also said that he had some money that she wanted to get control of. Freels told the matter over to the police, and the woman evinced an earnestness that frightened him, and then he "gave it away." He says he was afraid somebody would kill Dimerstein for her and that he might get into trouble.

A few nights ago the man and his wife separated after a quarrel in which she again threatened to kill him. Late that night several heavy bodies were thrown through the window of his house into his sleeping room, one of them narrowly missing his head. Presumably it was his amiable consort, endeavoring him slight rest. Mrs. Dimerstein has not yet been arrested. It is the opinion of several people who know her that she is insane.

**A PICNIC IN COURT.**  
A Woman and Two Lawyers Try to Holdize Squire Henry.

Squire James Henry had a lively case in his court last evening. One obstreperous woman is usually enough to occupy the attention of a Squire's court pretty thoroughly, and when two obstreperous lawyers add their ability to stir things up in the woman's result is sure to be what is colloquially known as a picnic. This was the case in this instance.

Annual Barge was arrested by Constable Wilcox on a warrant issued on complaint of Mrs. Elizabeth McKinney, who accused her of beating and maltreating a little girl, Bessie McKinney, daughter of the complainant. The child was in court, and a delicate looking little thing, getting over a case of typhoid fever. The evidence showed that the prisoner had shaken Bessie till her nose bled, besides abusing her in other ways. The only defense was that the child had yelled at Mrs. Barge, and was shown to be untrue. A fine of \$5 and costs was imposed on the woman, who keeps a little candy shop in the Sixth ward, refusing to pay. The Squire ordered her to be taken to jail.

Then the day commenced. The two lawyers for the defense, N. O. Cravens and Denis O'Keefe, denounced the decision and told the woman not to go to jail; that they would get a writ of habeas corpus. The constable went to execute the commitment, when the woman showed fight. She grasped the constable by the neck, and he was obliged to use force to get her out of the court.

"Let's see you take me!"  
A heavy-weight spectator was deputized to assist the constable, and the woman went, but not till she had remarked to the court, "I've heard of your tricks before, I know you, you dirty thing! I'll get even with you!"

Then the Squire assessed another fine for contempt of court. This had a momentary effect. The woman, seeing her fate sealed, and left to go to jail, and her husband left to go to jail.

"We'll show this man Henry if he can run this court!"  
And Mr. Criswell, assuring the woman, "I'll forfeit my standing as an attorney and pay your fine myself if you ain't free in fifteen minutes."

The woman is still in jail.

**A Watch Fit for a King.**  
Kalkaus, King of the Sandwich Islands, has ordered a massive gold chronograph of elegant design and elaborate finish, with stop-attachment and three dials, giving the time day, recording the minutes, seconds and fractions of seconds. The machinery of such a watch is complicated, yet not as much as that of the human system. Take your watch to the watchmaker, and he will tell you that it is a masterpiece of art. The watchmaker will tell you that it is a masterpiece of art. The watchmaker will tell you that it is a masterpiece of art.

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## DULLNESS IN THE IRON TRADE

The Crescent mill will shut down to-day for an indefinite length of time. The reason given at the office is that some repairs are required to be made about the works, and it is not possible to tell just at this juncture what length of time will be required for this work. Lockmen at the mill say, however, that they can do no immediate necessity for the commencement of any extensive repairs at this time, and they ascribe the present suspension to the prevailing dullness in all branches of the iron trade. Lockmen say, however, that the desire to make repairs is the only reason for the shut down. Mr. Whitaker is out of the city.

The Benwood mill also shut down yesterday for an indefinite period. The gentleman at the office says this course was adopted at a meeting of the Board of Directors on Thursday, because of the large stock of nails accumulated in the West house. Nails are sold cheaper in the West than they can be made here, and inquiry by the Directors among the stockholders showed that the universal opinion was that it would be better to shut down and hold the nails on hand for a reasonable price than to prevail in the West. The truth seems to be that there is a decided depression in the nail market all over, except in steel nails. Those mills in this vicinity which are making steel nails are prevailing in the West, and are not so much affected by the dullness in the nail market as the mills which are making plain nails. It is feared that if this dullness, salt water will be struck, while on the other hand there is a prospect of a greater flow of gas with a few feet additional depth. The flow so far obtained is not in any instance well suited to the needs of the mill, and is simply sufficient for the use of a few sort of a factory. The well was sunk by Kinsey & Thompson, a new firm at the business.

**THURSDAY NIGHT'S FIRE.**  
The Losses Not So Heavy as Reported.

The work of cleaning up the debris and dirt and getting the water out of the McLean block, and removing other traces of the fire of Thursday night, was promptly begun yesterday morning, and good progress was made at it during the day. The damage is probably not so large as most instances as was first estimated. The insurance men interested were all on hand yesterday inspecting the damaged portions of the building and the injured stocks of goods. The exact loss cannot be told in any instance until the work of cleaning up is completed, and an inventory of the damaged articles taken. The entire loss will probably not exceed \$5,000 or \$6,000, however.

**MELON THIEF FAILED.**  
A Stop to be Put to Boys' Raids on Fruit Cans.

Ever since the fruit season opened the railroad companies and commission merchants have been annoyed by raids on melon cars by boys. The cars necessarily are sometimes allowed to stand on the side track south of the creek, and thus offer a tempting opportunity to boys and young men to get a liberal supply of fruit "jerk cheese." The nuisance finally became so bad that the B. & O. Railroad company this week employed Jim Bell as a special officer to keep watch on the cars.

Yesterday afternoon Bell caught Andy Seider, an old Wheeling boy, stealing melons. He had already taken two or three away and returned for more. He was arrested and taken before Squire Phillips, who put him in jail in default of bail, on a charge of petit larceny. The boy offered to pay for the melons, but this proposition was rejected by the Squire and the company.

When these melon-loving youths caught a car and open they do not hesitate to open one, and some of them are adept at opening a car in a few seconds. They are doing a thorough job of the railroads of professional burglar, and it is high time that an example should be given them of the law's treatment of thieves who are unlucky enough to be caught.

**No Other Phases of the.**  
Rensons' Caprine Plasters Stimulate the circulation and expedite delivery. They stop all pain.

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